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1. At 8 p.m. on 12 April 1954, Polish merchant ship M/S WARSZAWA left Hamburg [redacted] after completing her repair period at the Deutsche Werft Shipyard in Hamburg according to plan. The bridge had been raised by one deck in addition to classification overhaul. A saloon and living rooms for the shipmaster were installed in the upper part of the forebridge. The shipyard expenses amounted to US-dollars 160,000. [redacted] M/S WARSZAWA had a loading capacity of 8,000 tons, a gross tonnage of 6,021 GRT and could do 14 knots. Her cargo holds had double bottom decks.
2. M/S WARSZAWA was to take on sheet iron and tubes for Communist China in ordinary and subsequently complete cargo in Gdynia. Captain Mianicki [redacted] stated that in Gdynia his ship was to take on several autobuses from the GDR bound for East Berlin, together with other mixed cargo.

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